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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED OCTOBER 16, 2007

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated October 16, 2007. The shortened statutory period for response is three months from the mailing date, i.e., by January 16, 2008, and Applicant is filing herewith a petition for a one-month extension of time, and this response is being filed within that time period. Please enter the following amendments and remarks into the record for this application.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

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